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“I want one.” Cloud spoke first. He was there to buy the treasure map, so he didn’t waste any time.

Quickly, Cloud handed over one hundred million spirit coins, and in return, Vasker presented him with a delicately crafted wooden box.

Despite being fined one hundred million spirit coins earlier, Cloud had no trouble producing another hundred million. This display of wealth was a testament to the resources of Stellaris Sect.

“I’ll take one too...”

“Count me in...”

One after another, those who had come to purchase the treasure map paid their coins. However, each of them received only a wooden box. No one openly checked the contents to see if these boxes really contained a treasure map, showing that they trusted Vasker.

After obtaining the treasure map and before leaving, Cloud threatened Kai, “Kid, just you wait! You’ll get it!”

The others followed suit. As Beau departed, he glanced at Kai and said, “Kai, I’m leaving you a communication device. If you need help, don’t hesitate to contact me.”

Once everyone else left, only Kai’s group remained in the living hall. Vasker turned his attention to Kai and asked, “Are you interested? If not, feel free to leave.”

“I want one, of course,” Kai replied. He handed over one hundred million spirit coins to Vasker. In return, he received a wooden box just like the others.

Kai, however, didn’t hesitate to open the box. Inside was a parchment scroll, on which there was a map, and a detailed map route was marked out. Only the part where the exact location of the treasure was marked was missing. The clarity of the route indicated that Vasker had freshly reprinted it.

“Is this treasure map genuine?” Kai asked while holding the map. “As I said, if you don’t believe it, you can refrain from purchasing it. I can refund your money right now,” Vasker said.

“No need. I was just asking casually,” Kai said and kept the treasure map. “As a member of the Archaic Body Cultivation clan, why would you sell your ancestors’ treasure map? It’s your clan’s treasure.”

“Since you’ve obtained the map, you can leave. I won’t answer your questions,” Vasker replied and turned to leave. Kai suddenly stood up and grabbed Vasker’s shoulder.

Vasker was taken aback. “What do you think you’re doing? This is Jipsdale. If you dare make a move on me, you might find it hard to escape the consequences.”

“I won’t lay a finger on you. I just want to ask why you are selling the treasure map. Where did this treasure map come from?”

“I told you I won’t answer your questions. Let go of me immediately, or I’ll call the guards!” Vasker threatened Kai.

“Do you think I’m afraid of the guards?” Kai sneered and reached for Vasker’s mask. Shocked, Vasker tried to block Kai’s hand, but he was no match for Kai’s speed. In an instant, Vasker’s mask was removed.

Seeing Vasker’s face after he was unmasked, Kai was stunned as the man bore a striking resemblance to Vasily, with only slight differences in their features.

“If you don’t want the treasure map, I can refund your money. Why did you remove my mask?” Vasker quickly snatched his mask and put it back on.

“How are you related to Vasily?” Kai asked. Upon hearing the name Vasily, Vasker visibly trembled, but he quickly composed himself and said, “What are you talking about? I don’t know anyone named Vasily.”

“Don’t lie to me. You and Vasily look almost identical. You’re saying you don’t know him?” Kai’s expression grew serious, and he once again grabbed Vasker’s shoulder. “Tell me, how did you get this treasure map, and why are you selling it?”

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“Who on earth are you? Why should I tell you? We’re in Jipsdale. If you dare lay your hands on me, you’ll be breaking Jipsdale’s rules,” Vasker shouted.

Seeing how stubborn Vasker was, Kai exerted more force, causing Vasker’s bones to creak. Pain shot through Vasker’s entire body in an instant.

“Help! Help! Someone’s attacking me!” Vasker screamed in agony. Soon, the two people at the door rushed in but were immediately subdued by the Three Bandits. Jipsdale’s guards also heard the commotion and hastened over.

However, when they saw it was Kai, the guards were momentarily stunned. They swiftly pretended that they saw nothing and turned around to exit the building.

At that sight, Vasker was dumbstruck. He hurriedly yelled, “Sir, Sir! Quickly arrest him! He’s attacking me. He started a fight in Jipsdale!”

However, no matter how Vasker called out, the guards, feigning deaf, promptly left the scene. We’re no fools. Even Mr. Sparrow doesn’t interfere when Kai causes trouble. Small fries like us are all the more afraid to intervene!

“Don’t bother yelling. It doesn’t matter if I start a fight in Jipsdale. Even if I kill you now, no one will take action against me,” Kai said coldly.

At that point, Vasker knew Kai was indeed formidable since even Jipsdale’s guards didn’t dare to deal with him. Left with no alternative, he said, “Fine. I’ll speak, but let go of me first.”

Kai released Vasker. The latter rubbed his shoulder and explained, “Vasily is my elder brother. We’re twins, so we look alike. How did you become acquainted with my brother?”

Kai recounted how he came to know Vasily but didn’t mention the emerald badge. Vasker fell silent for a few moments before saying, “Us, Archaic Body cultivators, are living a difficult life in the far north now. We’re constantly being targeted by the Tall family. This treasure map is real. I stole it from our clan leader. I’m just trying to make some money!”

Kai was astonished to learn that Vasker had actually stolen his clan leader's treasure map to sell.

"I can't believe you're betraying your clan and selling your clan's treasure. Aren't you afraid of being hunted down by other Archaic Body cultivators?" Kai asked.

"I'm not exactly betraying my clan because having this treasure map alone is useless. Even if someone finds the location of the treasure, they won't be able to open it without the key. I couldn't stand life in the far north anymore, so this was my only option," Vasker said.

"It's ridiculous to think that you're Vasily's twin brother. Your elder brother fought in the arena to earn resources for your clanspeople. You, on the other hand, stole this treasure map to sell. You only care about your own pleasure and not the slightest about your clanspeople," Kai said angrily.

"I've told you everything. You have no business meddling with the Archaic Body cultivators' affairs. You can leave now." Vasker dismissed Kai. Kai glanced at Vasker coldly, then led Viola and the others away.

Although Vasker was despicable, Kai had no connection with the Archaic Body cultivators, so it wasn't his place to care about their affairs.

However, right after Kai exited Vasker's residence, he ran into Vasily, who wore a livid expression with two muscular men trailing behind him.

"Mr. Chance?" Vasily was surprised to see Kai.

"Vasily, didn't you go back to the far north? Why are you still here in Jipsdale?" Kai asked puzzlingly.

Vasily sighed. "A great misfortune has struck my family. My younger brother stole the clan leader's treasure map and fled to Jipsdale. I just found out that he's selling the treasure map here, so I returned here to bring him back to face punishment."

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Since that was Vasily's family matter, Kai didn't feel it appropriate to interfere. "Your younger brother's residence is just ahead, but fighting is prohibited in Jipsdale. I'm afraid it won't be easy for you to take him away."

Kai knew Vasker would never be willing to return to the far north and live in hardship now that the latter was rich. He even had to face punishment once he went back, which would all the more contribute to his reluctance to comply.

Besides, Kai reckoned Vasker had chosen to stay in Jipsdale because no one could take him away by force as long as he refused to leave.

“If he refuses, I will still drag him away even if I have to risk my life in the process. He has committed such a disgraceful act that put my entire family to shame. I won’t let him off easily.” Vasily was furious, determined to take Vasily away.

Taking in Vasily’s demeanor, Kai sighed. “In that case, I should tag along. Perhaps with me there, it’ll be easier for you to take your brother away.”

“Thank you, Mr. Chance,” Vasily expressed his gratitude. Although he didn’t understand what Kai meant, Vasily was still grateful for Kai’s willingness to help. Kai followed Vasily back to Vasker’s courtyard. Vasker was visibly taken aback when he saw Vasily.

He immediately turned around to flee but was instantly halted by the two clanspeople in Vasily’s party. Vasker took off his mask and called out to Vasily in a panic, “Vasily...”

“Shut up! How dare you do something as disgraceful as this? Return to the far north with me at once to face the clan leader’s punishment!” Vasily roared. Vasker suddenly knelt before Vasily and pleaded, “Vasily, I cannot go back. If I do, only inevitable death awaits me! I beg you. Don’t take me back.”

Vasily was unfazed. He wore the same impassive expression on his face, stepped forward, and grasped Vasker’s shoulder, intending to take his younger brother away.

“Vasily, we’re in Jipsdale, so don’t force me. If you act rashly, we’ll both be punished,” Vasker threatened Vasily with Jipsdale’s rules.

“Even if I violate Jipsdale’s rules, I must take you back.” After saying that, Vasily wanted to pull Vasker up.

A cold gleam flashed across Vasker’s eyes. He abruptly grabbed his elder brother’s wrist and dashed forward with all his might.

Vasily was caught off guard and was pushed back several steps by Vasker. Vasker's unexpected retaliation left Vasily utterly astonished.

"Vasily, I told you. I won't go back. If you force me, I won't mind dragging you down with me since I'll die anyway if I go back!"

"Even so, I'll bring your corpse back to face punishment." Vasily leaped up and thrust his palm at Vasker. It was apparent Vasily had entirely given up on his younger brother.

Seeing Vasily advanced on him mercilessly, Vasker abandoned all hesitation and waved his arms, triggering the martial energy in his body to burst forth.

Vasker did that to alarm the Jipsdale guards nearby so they would rush over to intervene upon detecting a fight had broken out. Vasily and Vasker were evenly matched. Therefore, no victor could emerge from their brawl within a short period.

Their duel had indeed caught the attention of Jipsdale's guards, but they merely watched from afar, not daring to enter the courtyard to put an end to the fight.

The reason was none other than Kai's presence at the scene. Insignificant guards like them would only get scolded should they approach.

Vasily and Vaster soon exchanged over a hundred blows, yet not a single guard had the courage to step forward and stop them, causing Vasker to panic.

Seizing the moment while Vasker was flustered, Vasily kicked him hard in the abdomen. Vasker flew backward and crashed onto the ground heavily.

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Upon witnessing the scene before them, the two clanspeople with Vasily quickly stepped forward to bring Vasker under control.

"I'm sorry you had to see that, Mr. Chance," Vasily said rather sheepishly before waving his people off. "Take him away..."

Within seconds, Vasker was escorted out of the courtyard. As soon as he saw the guards near the entrance, he yelled to get their attention, "Help! Help! There's been a fight, and I was beat up..."

Vasily, too, had a noticeable change in his expression when he noticed the Jipsdale guards, prompting him to turn to his clanspeople. "I want you guys to bring Vasker back. I'll stay behind to accept the punishment in Jipsdale."

With that, the two men nodded and moved forward with Vasker firmly in their grip while Vasily prepared himself for the guards' interrogation and punishment.

"Don't worry. Everything will be fine. Let's go..." Kai said smilingly as he gave Vasily a pat on the shoulder. Even though the latter didn't understand what Kai meant, he did as instructed and followed the man.

"Help! Please help me!" Vasily once again cried out when he passed the guards, clearly making a last-ditch effort to save his skin..

On the contrary, Vasily was a bundle of nerves as he braced himself for questioning. To everyone's surprise, Vasker's screams seemed to fall on deaf ears, with the guards looking away and pretending not to see anything.

Dumbfounded, Vasily could only stare at the guards in utter disbelief. Even when they had walked some distance away, none of the guards chased after them.

"How odd! What's with those guards today?" a perplexed Vasily wondered aloud. Kai curled his lips into a smile. "Didn't I tell you everything will be fine with me here?"

All at once, the realization hit Vasily as he looked at Kai with incredulity. Oh, I see... Those guards ignored us because of Kai! However, why do they fear him so much? Kai has merely reached Second Level Body Fusion Realm, and even the guards are on a higher level than him. Why should they be scared of him? Wait a minute... If it isn't because of his power, it must be his status!

Vasily drew a sharp breath. Oh, gosh... What kind of status and influence does he have? How is he getting off scot-free despite blatantly breaking the rules in Jipsdale?

Just then, one of the Jipsdale guards hastily approached Kai. “Mr. Chance, you guys can leave through the north gate.”

“Got it!” Kai replied with a nod. After giving a polite bow, the guard promptly took his leave. Kai knew Hester must have asked around and learned that Thunderhawk wasn’t at the north gate. They could leave Jipsdale via that route.

Upon seeing the guard treat Kai with such respect, Vasily became even more convinced that the latter was no ordinary man. Soon, the group of people left Jipsdale through the north gate.

“Mr. Chance, where are you guys going now?”

Vasily asked. “I plan to go to the far north to look for the treasure. Truth be told, I bought one of the treasure maps your brother was selling,” Kai answered frankly, Vasily instantly beamed with excitement. “Are you going on a treasure hunt, Mr. Chance?”

That’s great! We’re heading in the same direction, and I know the far north like the back of my hand. I might be able to help you locate the treasure!”

Kai, however, felt a little embarrassed and bewildered. I can’t possibly get him to help me dig for his ancestors’ treasure, can I? Wouldn’t that be crossing the line? More importantly, why is he offering his assistance?

“Vasily, aren’t you guys angry that someone’s trying to dig up the Archaic Body cultivators’ treasure? Won’t you all want to do the same and beat the others to it?”